

Coal Miners In Maritimes Resume Strike

Search In Hills



In combat uniform, Vermont National Guard infantrymen go up the trail into the mountains from Bennington, Vt., as the search is resumed for 18-year-old Paula Welde, Bennington College student. The Stamford, Conn., girl has been missing since last Dec. 1.

'Left-Wingers Stabbed Me In The Back', Says Bevin

MARGATE, Kent, Eng. (CP)—Foreign Secretary Bevin won an almost unanimous vote of confidence on his administration of British foreign affairs from the Labor Party's annual conference here today.

Scarcely more than a score of the 1,200 delegates voted for resolutions critical of Bevin's foreign policy. The vote was by a show of hands and no official count was taken.

The endorsement followed a 90-minute speech in which Bevin accused left-wing Labor members of Parliament of stabbing him in the back while he was engaged in important discussions with the United States government.

"The day I was driving a good agreement with America to keep the bread ration from going down was the day I was stabbed in the back by the House (of Commons)," Bevin declared.

He did not specify what House action he referred to or the date.

GREAT RECEPTION

Bevin, whose critics had put a host of resolutions opposing his policy on the conference agenda, was received with a tremendous ovation from the delegates.

Discussing world affairs, he declared world peace depended on solution of Asia's problems, and proposed that the 11 countries which were at war with Japan should take part in drawing up the Japanese treaty.

Bevin specifically mentioned Canada as a "Pacific power" and referred to concern felt by Australia and New Zealand about the treaty.

He declared the Japanese peace treaty would come "in the realm of practical politics very soon."

It would be unsatisfactory to try to settle the problem by discussion among four or five foreign ministers, as in the case of Germany, he added.

Discussing the Middle East, he said there seemed to be many suggestions Britain should give up her power over her possessions and throw them into a pool. But she could not go on doing this indefinitely as she did not feel the Commonwealth trip.

4 Children Perish

LANEET, Ala. (AP)—Four children were burned to death Wednesday night when fire destroyed their home in the Hugo community, three miles from here. The mother of the children, Mrs. Henry Colson, was at work in a cotton mill. Coronet Clyde Blakely said the father was in jail charged with cutting a man last week.

The children were Curtis, 14; Irene, 6; Thomas, 4, and Virginia, 18 months.

More Immigration From Britain Soon, Says Ontario Premier

LONDON (CP)—Premier Drew of Ontario, a few hours before his return to Canada, today predicted that a speed-up in immigration to Canada from Great Britain and the continent will be possible this year and hinted that the Ministry of Transport will soon announce a greater allocation of shipping space than was originally intended.

Elsewhere it was learned negotiations are proceeding between

Special Session Of U.S. Congress May Be Convened

WASHINGTON (AP)—Possibility of a special foreign policy session of the United States Congress late this year unless major differences between Russia and the western powers are removed was raised today by a high-ranking Democrat who does not wish his name disclosed.

He predicted the administration will await the outcome of the United Nations' General Assembly session in September and the London Council of Foreign Ministers in November before reaching the decision.

He said if substantial progress has not been made by then in resolving east-west friction, the United States must consider how its power and wealth can be used independently to restore economic stability outside the immediate sphere of Soviet influence.

The Democratic leader commented on a suggestion by former President Herbert Hoover for independent U.S. peace pacts with Germany and Japan.

OTHERS NEED AID

Factors behind possibility of a late fall or early winter session of Congress include:

1. There have been unofficial but persistent reports that the United States, pursuing the policy of attempting to halt Communist expansion as laid down in the Greek-Turkish aid bill, will be called on by other countries for financial aid to strengthen their economies.

2. There is a question of whether Britain, sorely in need of dollars for imports to rebuild her economy, will be able to continue a 50 per cent contribution in the joint British-U.S. occupation zone of Germany.

Premier Of Austria Accused By Soviets Goes On 'Vacation'

BUDAPEST (AP)—A high Hungarian source said today the Russians, in an official note, had accused Prime Minister Ferenc Nagy and two other officials of complicity in a recent plot to overthrow Hungarian "democracy."

This informant identified the two other officials as foreign Minister János Gyöngyosi and Béla Varga, speaker of the house.

All three men are members of the anti-Communist Smallholders' Party.

A government announcement May 14 said Nagy would leave that day for a three-week vacation in Switzerland and that Deputy Premier Matyas Rakosi, a Communist, would be left in charge.

Private sources in Budapest said Nagy probably would stay longer than three weeks.

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I.W.A. Here To Vote Next Week On Offer

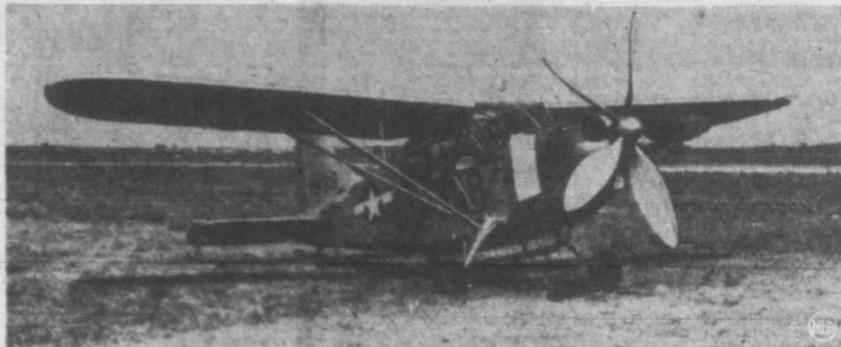
Ballots are expected to be sent out to members of the International Woodworkers of America (C.I.O.-C.C.L.) in the Victoria Local 1-118 area next week for a referendum to determine whether the members wish to accept or reject the latest offer of the logging operators for a 1947 contract.

It was learned here today the ballots for taking the vote were being printed in Vancouver and they were expected to be available here next week for distribution among the I.W.A. membership.

An I.W.A. announcement in Vancouver, meanwhile, said members of the union would vote also on whether not they wished to give the district policy committee of the union power to call a strike "falling satisfactory concessions" from the operators.

The operators' offer is 10 per cent wage increases for the 35,000 coast loggers.

Here It Is—You Can See It But Can't Hear It



What is described as the world's first silent airplane, the U.S. army's Stinson L-5, was unveiled at the laboratory of the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics at Langley Field, Va. A five-blade propeller driven at 1,000 r.p.m. by an engine geared down by a ratio of 2.8 to 1 replaces the standard two-blade propeller driven directly by an engine operating at 2,500 r.p.m. This reduction in tip speed is the factor mostly responsible for the noise reduction.

11 Island Undergraduates Win Scholarships, Prizes At U.B.C.

Eleven University of British Columbia undergraduates from Victoria, Sidney and Duncan, including two Victoria brothers, have won scholarships and prizes for excellence in examinations written earlier this month, the university announced this afternoon.

Majority of the prizewinners for Vancouver Island are former Victoria College students who while studying here attained scholastic proficiency.

The list of prize and scholarship winners was supplied by the Canadian Press in Vancouver.

Topping the Island students in third year arts and science is Dorothy May Tubbs, who last year at Victoria College won a special scholarship of \$50 for excellence in Latin 2. She will receive the university scholarship for general proficiency.

David Ian William Braide, winner of the Alaska Pine Co. scholarship for economics and the J. W. Diefenbaker Foundation scholarship in social sciences, was also a Victoria College student last year, having played rugby on the college team. This year he played on the varsity team.

For general proficiency in second year arts and science Pamela Isabella Elliott Christy of Victoria has won a university scholarship.

In third year applied science George Winslow Hobson, a scholarship winner at Victoria College during 1944, has won the British Columbia Electric Railway Co. Ltd. scholarship for highest marks in mechanical engineering.

To his brother, John Peter Hobson, who attended Victoria College in 1941 and 1942, goes a university scholarship for general proficiency. He is in second year applied science.

David Charles Holmes, who in 1944 at the end of his freshman year at Victoria College won the Canadian Legion B.E.S.L. (Victoria) Sir Percy Lake Memorial Scholarship of \$150, has been awarded the Canadian Forest Products Ltd. scholarship for highest marks in forest engineering. He has just completed his third year in the faculty of arts and science at the university.

The Royal Institution Scholarship for general proficiency in first year, faculty of applied science, goes to John Wallace Colbert of Victoria.

Finishing up his sophomore year in the faculty of agriculture, David Livingston McIntosh of Victoria won the David Thom scholarship for general proficiency.

Winning Frosty proficiency awards in pharmacy were Bryan Renouf Baal, Sidney, and Arthur R. Mann, Duncan, both former Victoria College students.

Perry Simington Millar, Victoria, won the Norgan essay prize in an essay contest conducted among second-year students.

Truman Returns

KANSAS CITY (AP)—President Truman left for Washington by air today after last-minute assurances of the continued improvement of his ailing mother.

Earlier he had telephoned nearby Granview to get a report on the condition of 94-year-old Mrs. Martha E. Truman. Her surprising comeback during the last few days enabled him to give up a 12-day vigil at her bedside.

LATEST

40 Polish Girls Make Ocean Hop

BANGOR, Me. (AP)—Forty Slavic girls, displaced persons from war-ravaged Europe who are looking forward to new economic life in St. Georges, Que., spinning mill employment, arrived today at the Bangor airport from Frankfurt, Germany, aboard a Transocean Air Lines plane.

Hustled through customs, immigration and health examinations, the girls were to board buses for the 150-mile trip to Quebec and their new homes.

1,000 Men Needed

PRINCE GEORGE, B.C. (CP)—W. L. Forrester, National Employment Service manager here, said today that within a month Prince George will require 1,000 additional men for mining and logging operations and for work on the Hart Highway to the Peace River. Mr. Forrester said that 75 men were hired during the last week for the Campbell Mannix Co., which has 300 men employed on the highway. A double shift will be instituted Monday, which is expected to leave the district 500 men short of immediate needs.

30 Hurt In Wreck

LONDON (Reuter)—More than 30 persons were injured when a London-Manchester express train was derailed while traveling at high speed this afternoon. According to first reports there were no fatalities.

House Fall Fatal

VANCOUVER (CP)—Henry Givins, 72, died in hospital here today from injuries suffered in a fall from the roof of a house Wednesday. He was working on the new house with his son when he slipped and plummeted through a hole left for installation of the chimney. The hole had been temporarily covered by paper.

Young MacArthur Hurt

TOKYO (AP)—Arthur MacArthur, nine-year-old son of Gen. MacArthur, is resting comfortably in a hospital after fracturing his left arm Wednesday while ice skating on a downtown Tokyo rink.

WINNIPEG (CP)—Permit was obtained for Trans-Canada Air Lines aircraft to fly into Germany.

Mr. Dionne, who selected 100 Polish girls for work in his spinning mill at St. Georges de Beauce, Que., had intended to take them to Brussels, but was unable to get shipping space to accommodate them for the trip to Canada, Mr. English said.

The flights represented the first time the T.C.A. had been permitted to fly into Germany, Mr. English said.

A dispatch from Frankfurt Wednesday night said one plane had already left for Canada, and that 60 girls, ranging in age from 16 to 27 and mostly war orphans, would follow today and Friday aboard other aircraft.

Mr. Dionne said the girl workers, chosen by representatives of a U.S. Roman Catholic welfare agency, the Vatican Mission and displaced Polish priests, had signed two-year contracts to work in his mill at prevailing wage rates.

Union Charges Company With Breaking Pact

GLACE BAY, N.S. (CP)—Freeman Jenkins, president of District 28, United Mine Workers (O.C.L.), today charged the Dominion Steel and Coal Corporation with a breach of the agreement that ended the 99-day strike of 13,000 maritime coal miners and ordered the miners to "cease work immediately."

A union official explained the points at argument would be cleared up with the arrival of the international officers and the discussions which would follow their arrival.

Mr. Jenkins released the text of a telegram he had sent to Harold C. M. Gordon, chief of Dosco's coal operations, in which he charged the company with a violation of the tentative agreements which sent the miners back to work Tuesday. He also announced his instructions to the working force to cease operations "immediately."

There was no indication yet as to whether the miners had started leaving the pits, but a union official disclosed that the big No. 1-B colliery at Glace Bay was idle Wednesday and the Glace Bay Victory colliery was idle today.

Crew Of Nova Scotians Saved As Fishing Vessel Capsizes

NEW YORK (CP)—The eight man crew of the Yarmouth, N.S., dragger Laura Grace Peter, which sank early today after collision with the British steamship Rockwood Clark, are safe aboard the British vessel and will be taken to Saint John, N.B., the United States Coast Guard reported today.

The Coast Guard said the collision occurred Wednesday night in dense fog at a position known as George's Bank. The Rockwood Clark, a vessel of 2,877 gross tons, was bound from Jamaica to Halifax.

The scene of the collision is 150 miles from the Massachusetts coast.

At West Pubnico, N.J., Albert d'Entremont, owner of the vessel operated by a West Pubnico crew but sailing out of Yarmouth, said

he had received news of the mishap by radio from another Yarmouth vessel which had also been fishing in the vicinity.

(The R.C.A.F. air-sea rescue unit at Halifax reported picking up a wireless message from the Rockwood Park, confirming the safety of the eight crew members.)

D'Entremont said the U.S. Coast Guard cutter Legare was en route to the scene. The Gloucester dragger Mary reported the capsized vessel as sinking fast with only one foot of the starboard side of her black hull remaining out of water.

The owner of the 70-foot vessel said she had sailed from Yarmouth Saturday for her second scallop fishing trip to George's Bank off Boston. An earlier trip two weeks ago marked the first time a dragger from here had fished on the American banks.

T. Eaton Co. Buys Old Hotel Vancouver Mayor McGeer Says

OTTAWA (CP)—Senator G. G. McGeer, Mayor of Vancouver, said today in an interview that the old Vancouver Hotel has been purchased by department store company (Eatons), which promises to erect a commercial building on the site.

"I don't think," said the outspoken Liberal Senator from British Columbia, "that we want any more department stores in Vancouver."

"If I had my way there wouldn't be any department stores anywhere, they, and chain stores, have a disastrous effect upon the tax values of land and property, in every city where they exist."

The hotel, now a veterans' hotel housing more than 1,200 persons, is in the centre of the downtown shopping area.

A T. Eaton Co. officer confirmed the company had an option on the building, on which the hotel lease expires April, 1948, but said he was "quite sure" it had not been purchased.

Horned Mine Adrift Off Island's Coast

A floating, horned mine, presumably of Japanese origin, is in the path of trans-Pacific shipping off the north end of Vancouver Island, it was reported today by the federal department of transport.

W. L. Stamford, agent for the department here, advises mariners that the mine is reported to be in position, Lat. N. 50 deg., 33 min., 05 sec. long. W. 136 deg., 04 min., 05 sec.

U.S. Army Reasonably Certain Next War Would Come From Arctic

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States army believes that if there is another war its main defences must be "on the Arctic frontier."

Without naming any possible aggressor, Gen. Carl Spaatz, Commanding General of the Army Air Forces, told the House of Representatives appropriations committee during a hearing on the 1948 Military Supply Bill sent to the House floor to-day:

"As we fabricated this budget . . . we had continually in mind the concept of the Arctic frontier. While none of us, of course, knows when war may come, we can with reasonable assurance tell whence it will come."

"Wars of a scale or magnitude adversely to affect the United States must be compounded of two primary elements—a large population which may become warlike, and a vast industrial

resource for the production of weapons.

Reference to a globe representing the earth's surface will show at once that the southern hemisphere may be dismissed. There are no vast populations there and there is no great industrial capacity south of the Equator.

"There are three possible areas in the northern hemisphere where these two conditions do exist.

"The first is in western Europe, where both the First and Second World Wars originated.

"The second is in eastern Eurasia and the nearby islands of the western Pacific whence the Japanese jumped off the last time."

"The third is the land mass of central Asia.

"It is certain that the weapon of the future which will immediately attack us and which must travel through the upper air at 3,000 miles an hour.

Labor More Vigorous Than New Deal: Wallace

DENVER (AP) — Henry A. Wallace declared Wednesday the leadership of the British Labor government is "more vital and vigorous than the Roosevelt cabinet at its best."

Wallace, here for an address sponsored by the Rocky Mountain Council for Social Action, said he thought Britain handled the Communists more intelligently than the United States by "treating them as human beings and competing with them" in the government.

He declined to reply to charges which a Denver Post Washington story said had been made against him by President Truman in a letter to Louis E. Starr, national commander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

The Post story said Mr. Truman's letter had called Wallace a "publicity hound" and accused him of making "wild statements" about the administration's foreign policy.

Advised of the reported letter in a press conference, Wallace said it was "not worthy of comment."

ANNOUNCEMENTS

A salvage collection for James Bay, Esquimalt and Gorge. Phone E 413.

Alcoholics Anonymous — The alcoholic, as distinguished from a normal drinker, is a person who drinks even when he doesn't want to and knows he shouldn't. Such compulsive drinking causes unhappiness and ruins careers. If this is your problem, then you may obtain help—freely and confidentially. Apply Victoria Chapter, Alcoholics Anonymous, P.O. Box No. 1, Victoria, P.O. Box No. 869, Duncan, B.C.

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Don't miss the grand whist social, Friday, May 30, 8 p.m., Liberal Hall, Government and Broughton Streets. Refreshments and good prizes, 35 cents.

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JAPAN TACKLES PROBLEM OF HIGH PRICES—Cut-price posters in front of the Mitsukoshi department store in Tokyo are examined by prospective customers. Good headway is reported in the city, with 78 per cent of the stores backing the government's drive to lower prices of commodities.

Weather

Weather today and tomorrow, valid until midnight, May 30:

Synopsis — Variable cloudiness is expected over B.C. today and Friday. Temperature readings will be near normal in most regions.

Vancouver and vicinity lower Fraser Valley and Georgia Strait—Cloudy this afternoon, tonight and Friday. Wind light. Little change in temperature.

West Coast Vancouver Island—Overcast today and Friday. Wind light. Little change in temperature.

To 9 a.m. P.D.T. Today

	Min.	Max.	Prev.
Montreal	50	62	52
Toronto	44	61	50
North Bay	39	48	38
Peterborough	51	58	50
Kenora	61	40	54
Winnipeg	24	43	44
Brandon	24	45	44
The Pas	23	46	44
Regina	23	46	44
Saskatoon	23	50	44
Prince Albert	21	51	44
North Battleford	24	51	44
Swift Current	26	47	44
Medicine Hat	38	55	44
Lethbridge	40	57	44
Calgary	30	60	44
Edmonton	30	60	44
Kamloops	52	84	54
Port Moody	36	68	54
Abbotsford	51	58	54
Victoria	31	68	54
Cranbrook	21	71	54
Smithers	31	71	54
Prince Rupert	31	66	54
Prince George	42	67	54
Seattle	37	70	54
Portland	43	72	54
Spokane	43	72	54
Chicago	51	68	54
San Francisco	53	76	54
Honolulu	62	78	54
New York	38	48	54

Brothers Warned Of Fatal Flight

VANCOUVER (CP) — Mrs. Helen Harrison, flying instructor and ferry pilot during the Second World War, said today she talked for "more than an hour" to try to dissuade Glen and William Lee from making the air trip in their light two-seater aircraft which ended in their deaths on the Hope-Prince

ton Highway Wednesday.

Mrs. Harrison said the Lee

brothers were on their way to

Estevan, Sask., to take delivery

of another plane with which to

begin a flying school at Vanderhoof, B.C. She was to have managed the school and given flying

lessons.

"I did not think Len Lee had

enough flying experience," Mrs.

Harrison said, adding that when

she saw they were determined to

go, she warned them particularly

not to fly up the valley in which

their wrecked plane later was

found.

Searchers who flew over the wreck said the brothers had apparently pulled up the plane to avoid a cliff, stalled, and plummeted to the highway. The back half of the small plane was found on the edge of the highway, while the front portion, containing the engine and the bodies of the two airmen, was located over another cliff on a pile of rocks 50 feet below.

2 Brothers Die In Plane Crash

HOPE, B.C. (CP) — Two brothers were killed Wednesday when their two-seater plane crashed on the Hope-Prince

ton Highway after swerving to miss a mountain peak.

The dead: Glen A. Lee, president of Lee Transport Ltd., Vanderhoof, and William Lee, the pilot.

"It looked as if the pilot had come down in a nose dive," said Stanley Mulligan, a construction worker, who witnessed the crash. "The two chaps were instantly killed."

The plane left the Vancouver airport early Wednesday, was forced down at an emergency field a few miles west of Hope because of unfavorable weather, and crashed shortly after the field had been resurfaced.

The Lee brothers were reported en route to Estevan, Sask., to purchase a second plane.

Bank Deposits Up

OTTAWA (CP) — Dominion government deposits increased \$21,073,000 to \$170,809,000 in the week ended May 28, the Bank of Canada reported today in its weekly bank statement. Deposits by chartered banks increased \$12,051,000 to \$468,363,000, while notes in circulation decreased by \$1,253,000 to \$1,147,121,000.

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U.S. Colonel Gets 10 Years For Taking Diamonds From Japan

YOKOHAMA (AP) — Edward J. Murray, a United States colonel of infantry who won his decorations in combat, today heard an army court-martial sentence him to 10 years' imprisonment for misappropriation of a fortune in diamonds he had taken home as "souvenirs of war. . . ."

The California officer was convicted of all six specifications filed against him, covering misappropriation of the stones and failure to declare them or pay customs on them. He also was ordered dismissed from the service with forfeiture of all pay and allowances.

The sentence is subject to review by the United States 8th Army commander, Lt.-Gen. Robert L. Eichelberger, who may reduce but not increase the term. The War Department also will review the case.

Although the jewels he was charged with taking during his custodianship of the Bank of Japan vaults were valued at first at \$210,000, the court reduced this to \$92,000. Murray has never revealed the source of the gems.

Murray himself, in the only statement he made to the court, said he was ignorant of the diamonds' value until after he had taken them home in March, 1946, and a diamond broker offered his wife a price which astonished her by its size.

"To the best of my knowledge," his written statement asserted, the diamonds "were never in the custody of the United States" until he himself handed them over to customs officials who had challenged and searched him in San Francisco.

Judgment Reserved

VANCOUVER (CP) — Judgment was reserved by the B.C. Court of Appeal Wednesday on the appeal by Premier Investments (Victoria) Ltd. of a decision of Mr. Justice J. O. Wilson in Victoria, Feb. 27, awarding Adrien Walter Born, Oak Bay merchant, \$1,000 which he claimed to have paid the company for shares of stock that were never delivered.

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Will Purchase Supplies

VANCOUVER (CP)—William A. Griggs, former president of the Manitoba branch of the War Amputations Association, has been appointed district purchasing agent for the Department of Veterans' Affairs here. He will take over his new duties at Shaughnessy Military Hospital June 1, succeeding Albert Cox, promoted to hospital manager.

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Coal Car Smashes Mine Locomotive At Nanaimo; 3 Hurt

NANAIMO, B.C. (CP)—Three men are in hospital as the result of a 50-ton runaway coal car smashing into a standing mine locomotive at Storm, near Cassidy.

The injured: Engineer J. B. Sickman of Nanaimo, conductor Thomas Russell of Ladysmith, and relief fireman Stanley Bodman of Nanaimo.

The coal car from White Rapids Mine, Canadian Collieries Ltd., demolished the locomotive, coming around a bend at terrific speed.

All three were badly injured. White Rapids Coal Mine output travels over the Comox Logging Company's right-of-way to a point near Cassidy, where it switches back on to the Esquimalt and Nanaimo tracks into Nanaimo. The crash occurred on Comox logging tracks.

Today's Funniest

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP)—Police held a traffic safety school and only one man showed up. He listened intently, took notes and asked questions.

Five minutes after class was dismissed, he returned to police headquarters escorted by two officers.

He was charged with passing a stop sign.

New Under-Secretary

WASHINGTON (AP)—Robert A. Lovett of New York was confirmed by the Senate Wednesday as United States Under-Secretary of State. He succeeds Dean Acheson, resigned.

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Sugar Rationing Likely To Stay

OTTAWA (CP)—Abandonment of sugar rationing is "out of the question for some time to come," Finance Minister Abbott said Wednesday in the Commons.

Answering question asked previously by John Diefenbaker (P.C., Lake Centre) about heavy sugar stocks in Canada, Mr. Abbott said the reason for the large stocks was that Canada had been receiving substantial shipments from Cuba.

He said Canada's allocation this year would be about 80 pounds per capita, nine pounds above last year's allotment but 10 pounds under prewar per capita consumption.

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LONDON (Reuter)—South Africa's bowlers came out on top in the first day's play of their game with a combined services eleven and dismissed them for 182 runs.

Combined Services vs. South Africa: Combined Services first innings 182, South Africa first innings 115 for two.

Surrey vs. Northamptonshire: Northamptonshire first innings 308; Surrey first innings 73 for one.

Lancashire vs. Sussex: Lancashire first innings 258; Sussex first innings 137 for two.

Leicestershire vs. Essex: Leicestershire first innings 420 for one.

Warwickshire vs. Yorkshire: First innings 113, second innings 166 for five; Warwickshire first innings 47.

Cambridge University vs. Middlesex first innings 283; Cambridge University 70 for two.

Field crickets usually live outdoors and feed on vegetation.

Good Neighbors Help A Grief-Torn Father



George Weckler, farmer of Fort Atkinson, Wis., is near collapse from worry and grief over the disappearance of his eight-year-old daughter, Georgia Jean, weeks ago. But his crops are going in. Here good neighbors have assembled a tractor armada to do the job. Others sheared Weckler's sheep. Weckler stands at right in the above picture.

Fail To Find Cause Of Texas Holocaust

WASHINGTON (AP)—The United States coast guard reported Wednesday its investigation of the Texas City explosions had failed to disclose any specific cause for the disaster which killed hundreds.

Samples of nitrate like that carried by the French vessel Grandcamp when it blew up April 16 did not explode when tested with rifle bullets, fire, oil, and contact with heated metal, the report said.

Brazil is larger than continental United States.

News Of The Island

Tourists Advised Not To Visit Island, Duncan Chamber Hears

DUNCAN—Upon reports that would-be tourists were advised to avoid visiting Vancouver Island because of the "disgraceful conditions of the roads," Duncan Chamber of Commerce planned to send a delegation to the Minister of Public Works E. C. Carson at Victoria.

At a meeting held to elect officers, chamber members discussed the road question fully.

They agreed that the reports of tourists being advised to keep away from Vancouver Island should be brought to the attention of the Department of Trade and Industry.

The Duncan chamber will ask the Lake Cowichan and Malahat chambers to join with them in sending a delegate to Victoria to seek immediate action on the road question.

W. W. Seymour was elected president of the Duncan chamber; Winter Cook, vice-president, and Capt. A. Hall, secretary-treasurer. Elected to the executive committee were: J. B. Creighton, E. Evans, H. Gray, N. Gourlay, F. W. Hitchcox, J. S. Lawrence, Harvey Lowe, G. Sanderson, J. R. Stewart and C. R. West.

Mr. Lawrence was appointed a delegate to attend a meeting sponsored by the Duncan Kinsmen Club at which plans for formation of a civic social centre, will be brought forward and discussed.

The Duncan chamber will ask the Lake Cowichan and Malahat chambers to join with them in

B.C. Underwriters Association is being held at the Qualicum Beach Hotel.

Some 50 delegates have arrived here headed by W. R. Sloan, president, and John L. Noble, secretary. They include Douglas McGregor and L. Corke of Victoria.

A number of social events have been planned for the visitors during off convention hours and include golf tournaments and a cocktail party.

LANGFORD—Miss Helen Cuche, president of the Langford Teen Tavern Club, presiding at the weekly meeting Tuesday, announced that the emblem contest closes this week.

Arrangements were made for a big beach party on Friday evening at the home of Miss Robin Ray, 987 Island Highway.

LANGFORD LEGION—The members of the Prince Edward Branch, Canadian Legion, will hold their June meeting Tuesday evening, at 8, in the new hut recently moved from the Colwood Camp.

Prince August Wilhelm, who

served as an S.S. brigadier-general, is the son of the late German Kaiser. It is believed he will testify in the trial of members of Nazi ministries.

Erbrin Ernst served as personal adviser to the Nazi minister for food and agriculture, Walter Darre, who will come up for trial shortly in one of the ministry cases, and he will testify in several trials.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

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Quacking Odds
A GIRL'S BIKE MAY BE A BOY'S BIKE," Says JACK McFARLANE, St. Clair, Michigan.

THE BEST AGE FOR MOST SPORTS IS BETWEEN TWENTY-FIVE AND THIRTY.

No Election Foreseen For This Year In Saskatchewan

REGINA (CP)—Saskatchewan's political forecasters see little likelihood today that Canada's only socialist government will call an election before next year even while they are trying to gauge the scope and future of mergers of Liberals and Progressive Conservatives in several constituencies.

However, there has been no lack of so-called election issues.

When section 6 of the C.C.F.'s Farm Security Act was declared ultra vires of the province by the Supreme Court of Canada May 13, political circles immediately talked the possibility of an election on the issue of the legislation, which provided for reduced interest on farmers' debts during crop failure years.

KEY LABOR LAWS

Another was provided six days later when the King's Bench court declared ultra vires five key labor laws—described by the government as the most advanced on the continent—where they affected employees of the two major railways and their subsidiaries.

Earlier, 43-year-old Premier T. C. Douglas had said he was ready to go to the people on the record of the compulsory hospital services program which went into effect last Jan. 1.

But there has been no indication from the government that an election will be called before next year, when the C.C.F. will have served the normal four-year term.

However, the political flurry appears to have sparked opposition forces to new energy on both a united front and party lines.

Liberals and Progressive Conservatives met this afternoon at Limerick in the Notekeu-Willoxbunch constituency, 100 miles southwest of Regina, to nominate one candidate "to oppose socialism."

RIGHT CLEARLY DEFINED

Walter Tucker, 48-year-old Saskatchewan Liberal leader and member of Parliament for the Northern Saskatchewan constituency of Rosthern, said of a similar program at Saskatoon that it was in accordance with the democratic right of every constituency to decide for itself when it would nominate and who it would nominate."

Union of supporters of Canada's two major political parties has also taken place at Melfort, where it was decided last week to support one candidate to be nominated later.

At Regina, the capital and largest of the agricultural province's cities—where opposition to the C.C.F. is believed to be strongest—a "representative" group of Liberals and Progressive Conservatives also has formulated plans for concerted action.

Ottawa University To Honor U.B.C. Chief

OTTAWA (CP)—External Affairs Minister St. Laurent will head a list of special awards of honorary doctor of laws degrees to be conferred at the annual convocation of the University of Ottawa June 8, it was announced Wednesday.

Among others receiving the degree will be Dr. A. M. Norman MacKenzie, president of the University of British Columbia and chairman of the National Confederation of Canadian Universities.

Landslide Ruins Homes

TOKYO (AP)—A landslide in Nobudani village has engulfed 100 acres of farm fields and 53 residences, leaving approximately 500 persons homeless. Allied headquarters has been informed. The Nobudani River was reported choked by the land mass, which began its slide 10 days ago, and was overflowing its banks.

Gun Runners Captured

CAIRO (Reuter)—A 17-camel convoy carrying a huge quantity of arms and ammunition was seized in the Western Desert 70 miles south of Mersa Matruh yesterday after a running gun battle with the Egyptian Frontier Camel Corps. The capture was made after desert patrols had "shadowed" the gun-runners nearly 40 hours.

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A FINE MEMORIAL

THOSE BRITISH COLUMBIANS AND Canadians elsewhere who have watched with an absorbing interest the magnificent work of the Queen Alexandra Solarium at Mill Bay will have experienced a sense of profound gratitude as they learned that this Vancouver Island institution is to benefit so substantially under the will of the late Mr. William K. Esling. A newspaperman for many years in the province of his adoption, an experienced parliamentarian in both provincial and federal realms—always a staunch supporter of the policy of conservatism—he was a man who never permitted his judgment on public questions to be swayed by political predilections. He was a British Columbian of broad vision, a humanitarian by instinct, and it was perhaps the loss of his sight several years ago that sharpened an already quickened interest in all those who were similarly or otherwise afflicted. In other words, "Billy" Esling, as he was always known to his intimates and his parliamentary colleagues, was a good man—a citizen of unsurpassed probity. His benefaction to the establishment at Mill Bay adds lustre to his name and memory. It constitutes one of the finest memorials any Canadian could wish.

THE LIVING DEAD

AN INDICATION OF THE PRECARIOUS living conditions of the Nazi war criminals who so far have escaped Allied justice is seen in the frequent news items reporting that another fugitive has been taken into custody. Among the latest to be apprehended was Gen. Eric Neumann, who was one of Himmler's chief henchmen in the Gestapo. United States war crimes investigators sought him for two years until he was discovered a few days ago. The one-time Nazi general was working on a Bavarian farm. Almost at the same time, investigators found another long-sought Nazi, a Major Eichler—also at work on a farm.

One is stirred to wonder what thoughts possess the minds of these fugitives as they about their daily rounds—the ever-present fear of detection, the recollections of past glories when they strutted in full power, the disgust with their present mortal state, the questioning of what the future holds for their old age even if they escape their pursuers. There can be little happiness in their lives as one by one they are tracked down and turned over to face legal courts and juries. Whether they feel remorse at what they have done, or merely regret at having been defeated, there can be little in their existing circumstances to foster any hopes of once again climbing the heights. German Nazism is dead, and so, for all practical purposes are the people who built it.

GAZING AT THE STARS

TWO PROPOSALS WHICH MET WITH the approval of the delegates to the third annual convention of the British Columbia section of the Co-operative Commonwealth Youth Movement during last week-end will be noted with more than passing interest by the thinking public of this province. One is that old age pensions be set at \$65 a month for a single person, and not less than \$100 a month for married couples, to begin at the age of 55. The other is that these young people favored the legalization of lotteries and raffles for charitable institutions until such time as the government "accepts its responsibility to the population in this connection."

All single men and women in British Columbia who have reached the age of 55 would vote with both hands for a pension of \$65 a month. Nor is it conceivable that any married couple would object to a monthly emolument from the state of \$100. But what the ardent, youthful members of the C.C.Y. do not explain to the people is where the revenue is to come from to pay these increased pensions. Nothing in the report of the Woodsworth Hall deliberations seems to elucidate this vital point.

Surely the more intelligent and far-seeing members of Canada's third party will want to know what the rising generation espousing the socialist doctrine means when it says that it favors lotteries for charitable institutions "until such time as the government accepts its responsibility to the population in this connection." The question to be asked of this or any other branch of the C.C.Y. in view of the decisions reached in Victoria is a simple one: Will all these young men and women who dealt with the two matters to which we have referred be agreeable to the deduction from their wage cheques of a sum calculated to form a substantial contribution to a national fund that would meet their demands in respect to old age pensions and, at the same time, enable "the government" to provide a still further sum of money to relieve all charitable institutions of their financial difficulties?

Far be it from us to discourage a discussion of such humanitarian problems as those inherent in the obligation which this nation owes to the men and women who have borne the heat and burden of the day.

But what all young Canadians, regardless of sex and background, who are destined to become the leaders of tomorrow should bear in mind is the necessity to view economic realities from a logical perspective.

MONEY IN A MATTRESS

A PART FROM THE OVERALL LOSS represented in the \$60,000 fire which destroyed the new Bloedel, Stewart and Welch Ltd. shingle mill bunkhouse at Vancouver yesterday, there is a personal tragedy told succinctly in the sentence stating that one workman lost \$400 savings he had hidden in a mattress. This is by no means a new story. Periodically, the public learns of the misfortunes of those who seek to secrete their treasure in strange hiding places. In innumerable cases—and they have occurred in this city as well as elsewhere—fire has searched out hidden currency and destroyed it.

It is difficult, in this day and age, to understand the lack of trust shown by some individuals in institutions which make a business of protecting savings. Yet some people persist in keeping their money in an old tin, in the proverbial sock, or even a vase on the mantelpiece. Such hiding places can offer none of the security furnished by a bank. And when fire sweeps a building it claims not only physical property but these savings as well. Sympathy which will be extended to the shingle mill workman will be tinged by an inclination to see in his misfortune a condition he brought on himself.

HIGHLY OPTIMISTIC

ONE OF THE OFFICIALS OF BRITISH Columbia's Travel Bureau has predicted that the revenue from holiday makers who come to this province this year will reach as high as \$50,000,000, \$16,000,000 more than in 1946, or \$28,000,000 in excess of that of 1945. We hope his estimate proves to be correct. He is nothing if not optimistic. His computation seems to be based on the visible inclination of many Americans to spend their vacations outside their native land.

Nothing is further from our mind than a desire to dampen the provincial official's ardor or to cloud his highly-optimistic evaluation of the tourist prospects for 1947. This year should be an excellent money maker for that substantial element in British Columbia which profits from the spending of American dollars—dollars, by the way, of which Canada stands in urgent need. And the more visitors this province attracts from the neighboring Republic, the better will the nation's whole economy be served. Well and good.

But let us keep our feet on the ground, or, to change the metaphor, let our sights not be set too high lest it be found that we have missed the bull's-eye by a long shot when it is possible to estimate the returns with some degree of accuracy. For the job of arriving at a figure that will faithfully reflect the actual revenue from the tourist business is both complex and difficult. It is the same with the merchant who advertises in the newspapers. Except in specific cases he is rarely able to put his finger on the particular piece of publicity which brought new or additional business. It is the aggregate turnover which enables him to place a value on his appropriations for public sales talk. By the same token, therefore, so must the government travel bureau view its spending of the taxpayers' money.

IDLE COMPLAINTS

THE COMPLAINT OF OUR MORNING contemporary over the length of time which the federal government has allowed itself for repayment of the wartime "compulsory loans" appears at first glance to be a case of mingling that journal's short memory with an attempt to set up adverse criticism no matter what the basis. And closer analysis confirms this conclusion.

What seems to be forgotten are the circumstances under which the "compulsory loans" were collected—the fact that money was needed from every available source to finance our fight for life, that the government in its extreme need could easily have imposed heavier taxation rather than merely borrowing the money on a temporary basis, that return of the money was promised "after the war," and that definite dates have been set for the carrying out of this promise, and finally that the delay in returning these savings to the mass of the population has been a factor in helping to keep down the rising pressure on general price levels.

The President now has to make all these decisions anyway. The Constitution requires him to make them. The practical administration of government compels him to make them.

But as things are now he has no systematic and orderly way of knowing whether he has heard all the facts, has interpreted and weighed them fairly and wisely. So his decisions are spasmodic, are casual, are guesswork and may be amateurish.

IT IS THIS weakness at the very top of the chain of command that the bill is meant to correct. It might therefore be described not as a merger, which it certainly is not, or as a "unification" bill, a term which begs the question, but as a bill to equip the Commander-in-Chief to do his job.

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Unless international commerce is stimulated, our entire foreign economic policy of financial aid could easily degenerate into an international dole.—Eric Johnston, former president United States Chamber of Commerce.

Walter Lippmann

FOR BETTER COMMANDERS-IN-CHIEF

OF THE United States bill (S. 758) for a national defence establishment, it may be said that this is now the best possible bill because it has been agreed to by the civilians, the soldiers, sailors and airmen who will have to live under it and make it work. This is no shotgun marriage. Nor is it a marriage arranged by the fond parents who may think they know better than the bride and groom. It is no scheme which is to be imposed upon the armed forces by outside "efficiency experts" or blueprint makers. Nor is it a scheme invented by the military politicians of one branch of the armed forces.

It is the product of prolonged debate by proven military leaders. The debate has ended in an agreement. The fact that the War Department and the Navy Department, that Patterson and Forrestal, Eisenhower and Nimitz and Spaatz are agreed that this is the bill they want is a compelling reason for favoring this bill.

THERE IS NO USE passing another bill, even if some one prefers it, that they do not all agree to. For the whole object of the legislation is to increase the harmony of the various arms. The fact that they have harmonized themselves and are agreed on this bill is the best practical reason for believing that the bill will promote harmony.

The reason that they have been brought to agreement is that they succeeded in thinking out clearly what is the real issue. It is that in peace and in war the President, as Commander-in-Chief, must of necessity unify the armed forces. The question is not whether they shall be "unified." It is whether the President is to be enabled to know what he is doing when he acts as Commander-in-Chief.

THIS BILL is in essence a bill to make the President a more effective Commander-in-Chief. It is not a bill about how the navy, the marine corps, the air corps, the infantry, the armored divisions, the medical services, and what not, are to be composed, equipped, recruited, trained, officered, paid, fed, clothed. It is in the last analysis a bill about how the President in the White House is to make the decisions which as President and Commander-in-Chief he must make about the whole complicated business of national defence.

The bill creates a Secretary of National Defence, who is in substance the President's deputy in the whole field of military affairs. Below the deputy there are a Secretary of the Army, a Secretary of the Navy, and a Secretary of the Air Force. The President's deputy does what the President now has to do—he promotes agreements and decides differences among the various branches. He gives his whole time to this task whereas the President can, of course, give only a little of his time to it. He is supposed to be a man of eminence in his own right. Probably he will be. For this particular appointment will be scrutinized very carefully by Congress, the armed forces, the veterans and the general public.

YET THE DECISIONS of the deputy are not final. The three secretaries under him, each normally the special advocate and guardian of his own service, have the right to appeal from the decisions of the deputy to the President. But in deciding the appeal the President will be, so to speak, the Supreme Court and not the court of first instance. Thus the appeals will reach him in a form where the real issues have been elucidated.

The bill does not, therefore, as some may think or fear, merge into one featureless mass all the fighting men whose traditions are distinct because they have become distinguished in glorious actions over so long a time. That kind of merger would in the name of economic efficiency destroy that military efficiency, which depends finally on the martial spirit of a fighting organization.

NOR DOES THE BILL submerge any of the branches and the specialties, each of which has, of course, its own plaudits, its zealots, and even its fanatics. On the contrary, this bill is designed to enable the President to judge as wisely as systematic combined advice makes possible, how the demands of each service and branch can be balanced against the national supply of money and materials and men, and made to fit the political and strategic interests of the nation.

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The Old Man Pays For It, Nevertheless



Louis B. Mayer—'The Best Actor'

THE BEST actor on the star-jammed Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer lot is Louis B. Mayer himself," says Thomas Heggen in the Reader's Digest for June.

"He has bested most of the actors in hand-to-hand dramatics."

Robert Taylor, wanting a raise, stormed into Mayer's office. An hour later he emerged, "tears glistening in his eyes." To a questioner's question Taylor replied, "He said he wished he had a son like me." About the money, it developed, they "didn't even talk."

Greer Garson stoutly resisted when Mayer first proposed she play Mrs. Miniver. In her last three pictures she had been middle-aged; one more might make her public take it for granted. But at the end of two days, during which Mayer read the script aloud and "stood magnificently alone in the rubble of London," Garson surrendered. As she was led, overwhelmed, from his office, Mayer pressed the buzzer summoning his next caller.

Success of the Gem led to his purchase of a chain of New Eng-

land theatres and a movie distributing company, and these, in turn, to his "march on Hollywood." With him, under contract, went Anita Stewart.

M-G-M MERGER

M-G-M was formed by Mayer's merger, in 1924, with Marcus Loew and his two producing companies, Metro and Goldwyn. One of the properties acquired from Goldwyn and produced eventually by Mayer against "a lot of sober counsel" was Ben Hur, a picture which grossed over ten million dollars.

Garbo was a muscular blonde actress in Berlin when Mayer discovered her and decided she "had something." Gable was a burly actor, previously cast only as a "heavy," when Mayer first looked at him seriously.

Politics and horses, Heggen says, are "disparate sidelines" into which Mayer's energy has overflowed. As a politician, he engineered the victory of Frank F. Merriam over Upton Sinclair for the governorship of California in 1934.

TO AN UNKNOWN CHILD

In Prague a unique memorial has been unveiled. It is inscribed "To an unknown child." The intention was to commemorate the children carelessly or deliberately done to death during the Nazi occupation of Czechoslovakia. Actually it serves as a symbol of what total war means in our world today.

The world may build again her cities. New works of art may replace the ones burned, blasted or stolen. But her dead children are a permanent loss, and the ones crippled by hunger and disease are a continuing tragedy.

That Sudden Impulse

The Times of London

Those whose onerous duty or curious pleasure it is to spend a considerable time watching films know that in many American productions there will come a moment when the hero, the heroine, or both will express a wish "to get away from it all." The circumstances from which they wish to escape normally include, however, poor they are supposed to be, luxury flat, a limousine, and wardrobes full of the most fashionable and expensive clothes, but to get away from it is their wish; where to is usually left vague and to the ingenuity of the person in charge of the incidental music. However much they may groan, however, they seldom do anything about it.

The driver of the bus who, a little time ago, forsook his accustomed route in the Bronx district of New York and set off on a journey of 1,500 miles, which ended in California, had at least the courage of his own desires.

The bus driver's escapade, since it took place in a material world, came to a prosaic end, but people of celluloid inhabit a fabulous universe, and it would be an entertaining film which saw hero and heroine for once put their words into action and get so far away from it all that they vanished for good from the screen.

Enterprise Scotland, 1947'

U.K. Information Office

SCOTLAND WILL HAVE its own exhibition of industrial design when "Enterprise Scotland, 1947" opens at the Royal Scottish Museum in Edinburgh on Aug. 25.

The project, sponsored by the Scottish Committee of the Council of Industrial Design and financed by the treasury, is unique in Scottish history. Its purpose is to present to the world in best quality and design in Scottish industry, and to stimulate interest in good design on the part of Scottish firms and people in general. The time chosen is particularly appropriate, since the period coincides with the International Festival of Music and Drama, when many visitors will be coming to Edinburgh to attend this distinguished cultural event.

ALL INDUSTRIES

All Scottish industry will be represented. The principal groups, however, will be ship-

building, textiles, printing, furniture, leather goods, sports goods, domestic appliances, scientific instruments, tools, glass and pottery. A special feature section is to be arranged by Scotland's department of health.

The exhibition will occupy about 30,000 square feet in the Royal Scottish Museum supplemented by 12 shop windows along Princess Street. The proprietors of all shops along the street have also promised their co-operation in making the display successful. The chief architect and the head designer are the men who acted in the same capacity for the "Britain Can Make It" exhibit last autumn and helped to create the settings for that colorful project.

TRADITION

There will be four sections: Scotland Yesterday, The Country, Scotland Today, and Scotland Tomorrow. The first will reveal the great tradition behind Scot-

ish industry. The second will picture Scotland's appeal to tourists and provide settings for sports and travel goods, tartans and souvenirs. The main section, Scotland Today, will show Scottish industry in commodity and composite groups: domestic interiors, people at home, and people at work. There will be a textile hall as well as a division for craft work on display. The fourth section, Scotland Tomorrow, will make graphic the progress the country is making in such fields as planning new towns, new housing, and industrial estates.

No space will be sold to exhibitors; the items will be selected on their merit, whether or not they are available in quantity or for general sale. The test of the success of the project will therefore be not the amount realized from sales but the high quality and excellent design of the exhibits.

Letters To The Editor

CREDIT FOR RESCUE

This is to state that my launch the Margaret Jean picked up and delivered safely to shore six girls marooned on a log at Point Ellice Bridge on the evening of May 26, and that City Police had nothing whatsoever to do with the rescue on the water.

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AWAY WITH GLAMOUR

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In Ontario the British-made film vies in popularity with that of Hollywood. And the reason, according to the annual report of the film censorship branch of the treasury department, is that United Kingdom film-makers have not only a more candid

approach to film subjects but they have a wider range of dramatic material. And it might be added, a higher conception of dramatic values.

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Many Wartime Army Accident Deaths

Figures compiled at army headquarters and released this week reveal that for the period 1939-45, of all deaths other than actual battle casualties among Canadian army personnel, 45 per cent resulted from accidents. Motor vehicle crashes headed the accident parade with 13.9 per cent, accidental drowning resulted in 9.7 per cent and fire-arm accidents, 5.3 per cent.

Diseases of the circulatory system resulted in 13.86 per cent of all army deaths during the war years in Canada and respiratory system diseases accounted for 6.05 per cent.

The survey also reveals that over the period studied, the death rate from disease in the Canadian army in Canada was .79 per 1,000—"a very low figure."

"Stay at home" is the warning given by Ottawa authorities to people planning to visit Canadian war graves in Europe.

The advice to stay at home is extended to those who are unable to book return passage. It came as a result of a number of Canadians becoming stranded overseas with no hope of returning home before Christmas, 1947. Other Canadians planning similar trips will have to postpone plans until the shipping situation improves.



Still Burdened with "GENERAL SHORTAGES"

Whew! Have we got our troubles!

That inconsiderate old codger, "General Shortages," is still riding relentlessly on the back of the telephone business—a hefty handicap to our efforts to give telephone service to all those who wish it.

Of course, as we have pointed out before, this problem of General Shortages is not peculiar to the telephone business; every business has felt it in some measure, and the public has suffered accordingly.

We are making some progress. Last year, for example, despite persistent shortages of equipment and materials, our system managed to set a new record in telephone growth. But applications are still reaching us at a record-breaking rate—and the result of our big wartime backlog, plus our unprecedented flow of new applications, is that we still have about 18,000 names on the waiting list for our whole system.

Shortages? Yes, we're still having trouble getting nearly everything needed to give service—central office equipment (switchboards and dial apparatus), cable, wire, instruments and so on.

We, like you, are looking forward to the day when we can say to General Shortages: "Get off, old man; this is the end of the line! Goodbye—and good riddance!"

In the meantime, to a long-suffering public, we say:

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Tug Launched For Service Here



The twin-screw 43-foot diesel tug Saraboyd, owned by Capt. H. E. Van Froome, which was launched from the ways of Marine Service and Sales Boatyard Wednesday.

Counter Offer Made By City On Hotel

The representatives of the syndicate which proposes to erect a \$4,000,000 hotel on the City Hall site if the property can be leased have received the city's counter offer on their proposal, Ald. Edward Williams, chairman of the City Hall committee, revealed today.

He would not outline the exact details of the offer, but said that it was believed there would be an answer or further negotiations Monday when the committee meets with the representatives again. King Realty Ltd. are acting as Victoria agents for the Alberta and American interests involved in all negotiations.

The suggestion that Victoria's City Hall be incorporated in the proposed hotel building has been turned down by the City Council, but it is understood the new proposal is for the syndicate to lease the entire property for an

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Miss Ruth Boyd, niece of Capt. Van Froome, who christened the vessel.

unnamed sum and use it all for hotel or commercial purposes, while a new City Hall would be erected in a park area, possibly at Pandora and Blanshard Streets.

Where the City Hall offices would be located in the interim period while the new building is being erected has not been discussed in any detail.

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Immigration Doors, Just Ajar, To Admit Thousands This Year

OTTAWA (CP)—Canada's immigration doors, as yet only slightly ajar, may swing open this year for thousands of Europeans sought by labor-short specialized industries in the Dominion.

It all hinges on the problem of transportation.

A joint committee of the Labor Department and immigration branch of the resources department now has under study a "considerable number" of applications from Canadian employers seeking to bring workers from Europe to this country.

Trades and callings of the immigrants sought reflect labor shortages in Canada's primary and manufacturing trades, including textile and needleworkers, craftsmen in other trades and possibly young, unmarried women as domestic servants.

HALIFAX (CP)—George Burt,

Private shipping officials said recently no more than 25,000 immigrants would be able to reach the Dominion this year under existing arrangements. But since then arrangements have been made to use the liner *Aquitania* for two more runs before she leaves the Canadian schedule.

It was intimated applications stemming from primary industries, such as agriculture, lumbering and mining alone would total many thousands. In addition, thousands of applications from relatives to bring European relatives to this country are on file.

HALIFAX (CP)—George Burt,



NEW STAMP HONORS U.S. DOCTORS—Uncle Sam will pay tribute to doctors of the U.S. with the special three-cent postage stamp shown above. The special delivery size, maroon stamp reproducing Sir Luke Fildes' famous painting, "The Doctor," will go on sale at Atlantic City, N.J., on June 9.

Canadian director of the United Auto Workers (C.I.O.-C.C.L.) said Wednesday night he would "protest the importing of Polish labor at minimum wage rates into Quebec and parts of Ontario" when he attends a meeting of the world Federation of Labor at Prague next month.

Mr. Burt, one of a group of Canadian labor officials who sailed for Europe Wednesday night, said he favored a program of immigration aimed at increasing the population, but it was his opinion the government should "realize that there are 158,000 unemployed in Canada."



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Personal

Among guests attending the Willis-Forbes wedding in Vancouver recently were Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Clarke and Mr. F. W. Baylis of Victoria; Mrs. Charles

Forbes, Alta.; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon MacDonald, Pender Island; Miss Betty Anderson, Powell River; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Morgan and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clark, New Westminster.

Engagements

Announcements to appear under this heading will be accepted at the Times Advertising Department. Minimum charge \$1.50 for 10 lines, and 15¢ for each additional line.

Mrs. Ellen Newton of Lantzville, B.C., announces the engagement of her youngest daughter, Eileen, to Ab. Reginald J. Sherring, R.C.N., youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Sherring, Vancouver, B.C. The wedding will take place at St. Michael's All Angels' Church, Royal Oak, June 17, at 7.30 p.m. (Vancouver papers please copy.)

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Life Honor For I.O.D.E. Leader

TORONTO (CP)—A life membership in Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire—highest honor the order can confer—last night was presented to Mrs. Ryland New of Oakville, Ont., as delegates attending the I.O.D.E. annual meeting here took this means of paying tribute to the woman who has headed their organization for the last three years.

More than 900 I.O.D.E. members saw the presentation during a formal dinner tendered out-of-town visitors by Toronto Municipal Chapter. This was the fourth life membership conferred during the week-long annual meeting including one to Viscountess Alexander.

The first 10 bursaries from the Second War Memorial Fund of the order will be offered in 1949, delegates decided yesterday.

Unlike the first war memorial, instead of offering nine bursaries—one for each province—the second war memorial will be set up on the basis of 10 yearly awards including one for the Yukon.

So far \$397,131 of the \$500,000 objective has been collected in the second war memorial campaign established to further education in Canada.

"The second memorial will be set up along the same lines as the first," said Mrs. J. D. Detwiler, London, Ont., National Educational Secretary. "There will be bursaries for the sons



MRS. RYLAND NEW

and daughters of Canadian men and women either killed in the war or so badly wounded that they aren't able to do the work they would have been able to do normally."

"These bursaries are only tenable in Canadian Universities, and in order to get this part of the memorial functioning \$200,000 has been set aside for these awards."

"Balance of the fund, including the sum still to be collected, will go into post-graduate scholarships at British Universities."

Y.P. Societies

Oak Bay United—Regular meeting of Oak Bay United Young People's Society will be held in the church parlor, Sunday evening at 8.45. Refreshments will be served.

Piano experts warn against keeping instrument near any heating unit or in direct rays of the sun. To clean surface, use a soapy cloth, well wrung out and follow with a damp cloth wrung out of clear water. Wipe completely dry before applying wax finish.

IF WE COULD ONLY PRESENT
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will need so much in their married life.

Suppose, for instance, we could send a young husband and wife a bridal present an inexhaustible supply of love, not the flimsy, phony stuff that is already worn out tatters before the honeymoon is over, but the durable, honest, woven in the warp kind that stands the wear and tear of daily association and that lasts for a lifetime.

Suppose, instead of sending Tom and Anne a set of real lace table mats, we could bestow upon them some good, hard horse sense that would make them realize that marriage isn't a party. It is a life job at hard labor, and how theirs turns out is going to depend on whether they are quitters or stayers, and how much of their backs and their brains and their hearts they put into it.

Suppose, for a bridal present, we could give Fred and Sally each a pair of rose-colored glasses in which they would always see each other at their best. Fred would always be the hero of Sally's girlish dreams. She would never see that he got old and fat and stodgy, and he would still be calling her "little girl" after she was a Grandma, with grown grandchildren, and with a figure like an apple dumpling. There would be no more divorces if husbands and wives never lost their pink spectacles.

SENSE OF HUMOR

And suppose, instead of giving Alfred and Arabella a set of champagne glasses, when they had a beer income, we could present them with a sense of humor. There are so many times in married life when we have either got to laugh or cry, and it is so much better to be able to turn the misadventures of domestic life into jokes instead of fighting over them. When a wife can make a funny story about it when her husband comes home lit from a banquet, instead of preaching a sermon over it, and when a husband can kid his wife about her new hat, instead of having fits over the price, it is a certificate of happiness that they could draw money at the bank!

Oh, there are lots of things that a bridal couple need more than they do solid silver and hand-painted dishes and monogrammed linens. What a pity we can't give it to them! It would save so many tears and heartaches and make it so much easier to stay married—and like it.

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PEAS AND CARROTS ROYAL CITY, 20-oz. tin. 15¢ LOGANBERRY JAM PURITY, Pure, 4-lb. tin. 79¢

CUT GREEN BEANS MALRIN'S, Fancy, 20-oz. tin. 15¢ JELLED CHICKEN 7-oz. tin. 47¢

WHOLE BABY BEANS AYLMER, Fancy, 20-oz. tin. 20¢ GRAPE JUICE AYLMER, 13-oz. bottle. 22¢

CANNED SAUSAGE UNION BRAND, 14-oz. tin. 42¢ VEGETABLE JUICES V-8 COCKTAIL, 20-oz. tins. 2 for 29¢

BRUNSWICK DINNER SELECT BRAND, 15-oz. tin. 15¢ ATLANTIC HERRING 10-oz. tins. 2 for 27¢

SWEET BISCUITS MOTHER'S FAVORITE, lb. 25¢ GRAPEFRUIT JUICE FRANCIS DRAKE, 48-oz. tin. 26¢

PEANUT BUTTER MCCOLL'S, 16-oz. jar. 38¢

FRESH FRUITS and VEGETABLES ASPARAGUS, washed, green and tender. 2 lbs. 25¢

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WINE SAP APPLES, extra fancy grade. 2 lbs. 23¢ CANTALOUPE, pony size, each. 19¢

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by Frances Thompson
noted homemaking authority



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Mrs. J. Heller Named President Of Schubert Club

The Schubert Club has elected Mrs. J. Heller president for the season 1947-48. Other officers are: Past-president, Mrs. A. H. Sheard; vice-president, Miss Mary Sinclair; secretary, Mrs. J. E. Brown; treasurer, Mrs. F. Tupman; librarian, Mrs. G. Cornelius; publicity, Mrs. W. F. Holdridge.

The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. F. B. Noel, 23 Linden Avenue. Reports of the executive showed work of the year to have been most successful. Mrs. Sheard commented on the spirit of unity among the members.

During the evening, Frederic King, conductor, was presented with a cheque and a gift for Mrs. King, who was unable to be present. He thanked the members for their loyalty and untiring efforts, also paying tribute to the musical ability of the accompanist, Mrs. Darvill. Presentations were also made to the retiring president and accompanist.

The next recital will be given at the High School on July 16, sponsored by the Summer School of Education.

Council Cancels Athletic Permit

The permit granting permission to the athletic division of the British Columbia Electric Railway to play softball in Windsor Park on Sunday was canceled by the Oak Bay Council as the result of protests received from two residents of the locality. The permit was granted by the council last week on condition that no protests were made in this respect.

One resident in a letter not only objected to the playing of softball, but vented her feelings against children playing in the park.

Councillor P. A. Molteni contends that it is far better to have children playing in parks on Sundays than not-to-know where they are," she wrote. "I can tell him where they should be—at home disturbing their own parents."

The other objection was just as emphatic: "If parents of the children who intend using the park have no regard for the observance of Sunday that is their affair, provided they do not interfere with the rights of those who have."

The letter added: "As we are forced to remain indoors many summer evenings because of the uproar caused by these children, surely it is not being selfish to consider that the older people who pay taxes, have the right of one day of quietness during which they may enjoy their own gardens."

The council made no comment on the letters, although the athletic organization has been refused the use of the park, there is nothing to prevent children from playing on the premises on Sundays or week days.

Brentwood Bay From Mt. Newton



This fine view of Brentwood Bay was taken from the Woodward Farm at Mount Newton, and the vista encompasses the Malahat.

Uncle Ray

WILD TURKEYS FIGHT AND STRUT IN SPRINGTIME

A turkey has a right to be called a "redhead." It has reddish, wrinkled skin over much of the head, and is decorated with large red wattles.

A foreign country gives its name to the turkey, but this bird is a native of the New World. Turkeys are, indeed, the only barnyard fowl which the New World supplied to the human race.

The first raising of turkeys in Europe seems to have started about the year 1530. Scholars are

in doubt as to how the name happened to come into use. Some believe that Turkey obtained a number of the fowls, and sent them to western Europe in the course of trade. In any case the Turk knew nothing about turkeys until after the New World was discovered.

When white settlers reached North America, they found that the woods contained thousands of wild turkeys. New England and southern Canada had them, and they were common southward through forests and woodlands to Florida and Texas.

To this day there are wild turkeys in various parts of the United States, chiefly south of the Ohio river. Laws have helped to guard them from being wiped out. Mexico and Central America have a great number of them.

Wild turkeys commonly roost in trees, but the hens put their nests on the ground. A hollow is scratched in the ground, behind a log or under a bush. This hollow is lined with dead leaves or a bit of dry grass.

From eight to 15 eggs are laid in the nest of a wild turkey hen. The hen sits on the nest and takes good care of the young ones until they are able to fly.

Wild turkeys can fly fairly well, but they spend most of their food-hunting time on the ground. They eat acorns and chestnuts, also berries, seeds and insects.

In the spring the wild turkey cocks do a great deal of fighting. The purpose of the fighting is to win the favor of the hens. The turkey cocks strut about, fanning out their tails.

Most wild turkeys have a weight of from 10 to 20 pounds, but some weigh 30 pounds or more. One is reported to have weighed 40 pounds.

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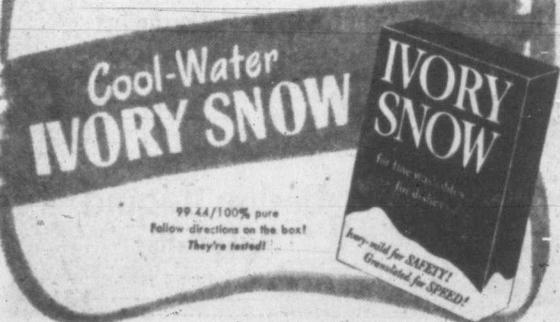
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Anscomb Says B.C. Must Take Stock Of Changing World

Finance Minister Herbert Anscomb told British Columbians Wednesday night the time had come when the province must take stock of its position in view of changing world conditions.

"As the time approaches when we have again to face world competition, we must re-orient ourselves to meet that change, no matter if it is difficult so to do. If we do not, we will not survive," he said, noting that the province secures almost its entire livelihood by the export of its natural resources in competition with the world.

Speaking over CBC provincial stations in one of a series of broadcasts by provincial political leaders, Mr. Anscomb referred to rumors that the Coalition administration was about to be dissolved.

He said he wanted to make it clear that the Coalition government would not be dissolved "by any action of myself, representing the Conservative party, which is one of the partners to it, so long as the obligations and responsibilities of the partnership are recognized, understood and accepted by the members of the two parties that constitute it."

"Neither has there been the slightest indication that either party to the Coalition that such was their intention," he continued. "I am convinced, also, realizing as I do the earnestness of all members to it, that no such idea has ever been present in the minds of any of its members, whose sole thought is the welfare of the province and an earnest desire to save our people from the Communist evil that is so apparent both from within and without the province."

Admitting the result of the Cameron report on education finance had not been satisfactory to many taxpayers in unorganized districts, Mr. Anscomb warned "it should be remembered, however, before anybody takes too violent a dislike to the effect of that report, that it was also recommended by the commissioner that there should be an equalization assessment board established to try to equalize the tax burden imposed on the taxpayers throughout the province."

He said the board would be set up very shortly, but added that its work would be difficult.

"I mention this specifically tonight," he said, "so that those people who feel that they have been unduly burdened, or have a grievance, may realize that the government understands the situation and that a remedy from an equalization viewpoint is provided, but cannot, as I say, yet be effected, until the committee I refer to has completed their work."

He said it was perhaps not generally understood that the provincial government was paying nearly \$1,000,000 a month toward the cost of education.

Mr. Anscomb also reviewed problems of old-age pension payments, and other social security measures adopted by the government, and went on to describe the problems of improving the province's road system.

Although the appropriations for roads this year were the largest in the history of the province, Mr. Anscomb said: "To be perfectly frank, I do not think that all this is going to put our roads in shape that everybody, including myself, thinks they should be, but it is as much as we can do out of the revenues that we have, after providing for all the social services that must be taken care of. I think, also, that it is all we can spend during the present year because of lack of men and machines to do the work."

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The topsy-turvy race for the Coast League baseball lead found Los Angeles on top today, for the moment, anyway.

San Francisco looked over its shoulder and discovered Oakland perched alongside in a tie for second place with the Seals, one game behind Los Angeles.

Anything can happen tonight, however, if the Angels beat San Francisco again and Oakland also wins then the Angels would keep the lead and the Oaks take second, dropping the Seals to

third. But if San Francisco beats Los Angeles, and Oakland wins, there'd be a three-way deadlock.

Last night the Angel's Cliff Chambers allowed seven hits to beat the Seals' Bob Chesnes, who gave up 10 bingles, in a battle between the league's top pitchers. Los Angeles 5 to 4 victory could be credited largely to homers by Ceco Garriott and Larry Barton.

Oakland won a home run bing from Hollywood, 13 to 9, to catch up with San Francisco.

Heavy hitting featured the other games as Portland beat Seattle, 11 to 4, and Sacramento took San Diego, 9 to 4.

Hollywood 9 17 3
Oakland 13 11 2
Batteries—Woods, Yarham, and
Upton. Shieff (7); Pippen, W. Hafty (2);
and Keane.

Portland 4 9 3
Batteries—Cecil, Ringle (6) and Hemmings (6); Savage (6); Rashel, Blanco (4); and
Gibson.

Sacramento 9 11 1
Seattle 5 5 0
Batteries—Mann and Fitzgerald; Mulligan, Eisenmann (3); Kerrigan (3); and McDonnell.

Cafe Operator Fined

VANCOUVER (CP) — Magistrate W. W. B. McInnes, warning that over-celling restaurant prices would bring more severe penalties in future, fined Gus Geros of Vancouver's Mayfair Cafe \$100 in police court Wednesday for listing 60 menu items at from 5 to 10 cents above authorized rates.

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Joe DiMaggio Sparks Yankees' Win Streak

Canceled the obits of Joe DiMaggio's career and add a new chapter. The New York Yankee clipper has recovered from a shaky .143 start and boosted the New York club into the thick of the American League fight with his .340 average.

More than one critic crossed off DiMaggio as "just another ball player" when he failed to hit .300 last year. His heel injury and subsequent hitting slump coincided with a general Yank decline this spring. But that was before President Larry MacPhail fined him \$100.

Starting with the Yanks' shut-out conquest of Detroit's Hal Newhouser, the night after the fines were publicized, DiMaggio has been hitting like a fiend. In seven games he has smashed 15 hits and driven in 13 runs. He has added 74 points to his average.

The Yanks in winning six of their last seven, have moved into second place just 3½ games behind leading Detroit Tigers. Last night they scored a 9 to 5 victory over Washington Senators. Mauling four of Osse Bluge's pitchers for 13 hits, they handed Bobo Newsom his third defeat.

GETS THREE HITS

DiMaggio continued his sensational streak with three hits, all singles, and Bill Johnson knocked in five runs with a double and a pair of runs.

As Boston thumped Philadelphia A's 9 to 2 in the afternoon, both the Red Sox and Yankees picked up a half game on Detroit.

The big noise in the National game at the Polo Grounds where the befuddled customers watched their New York Giants take a second straight losing from Brooklyn, this time 14 to 2.

Brooklyn shelled Larry Jansen with his first loss and poleaxed three successors for 19 hits including homers by Bruce Edwards, Dixie Walker and Eddie Miksis.

Enos Slaughter rescued St. Louis Cardinals with a three-run Homer that broke a 1 to 1 tie and sent the Birds on to a 4 to 2 victory over Cincinnati.

Pittsburgh Pirates ruined the night for Chicago Cubs, rallying with three runs in the last of the ninth to dump the Cubs out of first place, 7 to 6. It was a wild finish with pinch runner Gene Mauch scoring the winning run on a base hit by Clyde Klutts that bounced over third baseman Stan Hack's head.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Team	W	L	E
New York	5	13	6
Washington	5	9	0
Baltimore	Byrnes, Gumpert (1); D. Johnson (5) and Robinson, Oerra (5); Newson, Karpis (3), Kneer (8), Candini (9), and Evans (1).	11	8
Boston	2	11	0
Philadelphia	2	7	0
Baltimore	Ferriss and Tebeau, Flores, McCahan (3), Schell (3) and Guerra. (Two games postponed).	18	2
Philadelphia	2	5	0
New York	Batteries—Ladd, Kuhn (7), Schmidt (9), and Scheffens; Bevel, Baab (6), Singleton (6), Herring (9) and Klutts.	19	9
Philadelphia	2	4	0

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Team	W	L	E
Chicago	16	8	0
Pittsburgh	16	9	0
Baltimore	Batteries—Eraut, Kuhn (7), Schmidt (9), and Scheffens; Bevel, Baab (6), Singleton (6), Herring (9) and Klutts.	18	2
Philadelphia	2	5	0
New York	Batteries—Taylor and Edwards; Jansen, Voiselle (3), Ayers (6), Andrews (9) and Lombardi.	19	9
Philadelphia	4	6	0

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Interhigh Track And Field Champions Crowned



Jim Wright, Esquimalt High School speedster, hits the tape to capture the senior 220-yard dash in yesterday's interhigh track and field meet. Tommy Joyce, Victoria High, finished second with Lorne Prevost, Oak Bay High, in third position.

INTERHIGH STANDINGS

	Points
Oak Bay	56
Victoria High	47
Esquimalt	33
Mount View	19
Central Junior High	12
Mount Douglas	5

Capturing 10 out of a possible 16 first places in the interhigh school track and field meet yesterday afternoon at Victoria High grounds, Oak Bay High School contestants captured the Roy Jones Memorial Trophy presented by Inspector J. F. K. English, finishing 11 points ahead of the runner-up, Vic High competitors.

Following the meet, the following athletes were named to take the trip to Vancouver to take part in the provincial interhigh track and field events tomorrow and Saturday: L. Prevost, D. Wells, P. Matson, K. Wright, G. Clayton, and J. Mill of Oak Bay; T. Joyce, C. Bosdet, B. Singh, A. Boyd, G. Pynn, and R. Lott of Victoria High; W. Preedy, K. Douglas, and J. Wallach of Esquimalt; B. Hope and F. Fernyough of Mount View; and W. Malcolm of Mount Douglas High.

Ernie Costain, Roy Temple and Sheila Stanley will accompany the group and act as coaches.

Eight girls from the Greater Victoria High Schools will also make the trip.

DOUBLE WINNERS

Jim Mill of Oak Bay High scored two firsts in the 440 and 880 events while Jim Wright of Esquimalt captured first place in the 100 and 220 senior events. Tommy Joyce of Vic High won the 120-yard hurdles, placed second in the 220 and shot put open, and notched runner-up in the senior broad jump.

Bob Hutchinson, Oak Bay junior entrant, amassed 10 points to lead the junior sections, scoring first place in the 100, 220, broad jump and coming third in the high jump. Bill Adams of Central Junior High put on a brilliant display in the junior high jump event to capture first place and kept right in with the seniors in the same event, being beaten by Ken Wright, Bhagat Singh and Al Boyd.

LANGFORD IN DOUBLE WIN

Langford senior B men's softballers defeated Sooke 12 to 5 in a Colwood and District league game at Langford last night.

Playing at Sooke, Langford juniors defeated the hometown nine 14 to 3. Tonight's game at Langford will be between View Royal and Langford.

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BOB HUTCHISON

Oak Bay High

This youngster made a clean up in the junior competitions, winning the 100 and 220-yard sprints and the broad jump.

Matson Trophy Golf
At Colwood Sunday

Annual competition for the Matson Trophy, emblematic of the Vancouver Island handicap golf championship will be held at the Colwood Club Sunday. The event will be 18 holes on full handicap and open to any member of a recognized club on the island.

Post entries will be accepted but competitors may send their entry forms to Bunny Thompson, secretary of the Victoria Golf committee.

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They'll Do It Every Time



Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

After having watched Victoria Athletics' star sillysider, Bill Woop, work in several games this season and sweated along with him as he ran into streaks of wildness, one is reminded of the ditty Leo Lassen coined to fit the mound performances of Dick Barrett of the Seattle Rainiers. I feel it fits Woop perfectly so will pass it along:

Roses are red,
Violets are blue,
Woop's pitching,
The count's 3 and 2."

IN ANSWER to a number of queries on just how batting, fielding and pitching averages are computed I trust that the following explanations will aid the baseball public in their problems. To find the batting average of a team or player—divide the number of base hits by the total number of times at bat. Remember, however, that a player is not charged with an official at bat if he reaches first on a base on balls, a sacrifice hit, or interference by the catcher or is hit by the pitcher. To compute fielding averages—divide the number of chances accepted, i.e., the total putouts and assists, by the number of chances offered, i.e., the total putouts, assists and errors. Team marks are computed in the same method.



Legion Show Form In Beating United

Doc Cramer Proves Deadly Clutch Hitter For Detroit

It will be Canadian Legion vs. Nanaimo in the island final of the Province Cup soccer series at Macdonald Park Saturday night, starting at 6:15. Legion pulled the surprise of the season last night by nosing out the Coast League Victoria United 3 to 2 in the local final. There was nothing lucky about the Legion triumph, the club winning on its merits.

After holding a 1 to 0 lead at half-time and having the score deadlocked in the early minutes of the second half the Legion stormed back for two quick goals before the United were again able to find the net. Legion displayed much better team work and what little good soccer was seen during the 90 minutes the winners played it. United players, with few exceptions, seldom untracked themselves all night. Their half line had trouble tracking, with Joe Travis and Red McMillan in the wing positions being far below their usual form. Until Tommy Druce and Alan Reside, the two fullbacks, moved up late in the game the United forward line showed a complete lack of punch and cohesion.

Outstanding for the Legion were the youthful Sid Robbins at centre-half, Hugh Heggie at one of the wing half berths and Cliff Robbins and Andy Anderson on the front line. The entire Legion club played hard from veteran goalie Louis DeCosta out.

OPENING GOAL

With five minutes of play remaining in the first half the Legion opened the scoring, Anderson picking the corner during a scramble in the United goal. Goalie Moss got his hands on the ball but it was curving away from him. Minutes later Pickup hit the crossbar as the Legion continued to press. United's best chance to score came when right-winger Shubrook was in on DeCosta by himself only to have the goalie smother his shot.

Second half was minutes old when United tied the score on a penalty awarded against Sid Robbins for climbing over Chuck Restall.

Eddie DeCosta picked the corner with a low shot. Undaunted the Legion forged back on the offensive and regained the lead on a penalty given against McMillan for double blocking.

Cliff Robbins fired the goal.

Shortly after the same player scored the best goal of the match, heading in a perfect cross by Anderson from a corner kick.

Two goals down the United moved Druce and Reside up and the change paid off when the former took Reside's goalmouth lob and headed it past DeCosta for the final goal of the match.

United pressed in the dying minutes but were unable to get back on even terms.

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Ontario Betting Handle Shows Drop

TORONTO (CP) — Although

the largest crowd ever to witness a sporting event in the Dominion—about 50,000 persons—bet more than \$700,000 at Woodbine Park on King's Plate day last Saturday, mutuel play has plummeted in Ontario so far this year.

Officials of the Ontario Jockey Club revealed Wednesday that over the seven days of their meeting there was a decline of \$320,000 in betting over the corresponding seven days of the spring of 1946.

Thorncliffe Park showed a decline of about \$86,000 Monday as against the same Monday a year ago.

Every time Cramer steps to the plate the pressure is on, but he's making real hay with his chances at the plate, banging out six hits—all of them singles—in 11 times at bat for a "clutch" hitting average of .545.

His payoff punch as part-time hitter has delivered seven important Tiger runs across the plate this season, sufficient evidence that his pinch licks are coming at opportune times.

Hall Hits Four-Run Homer To Give Esquimalt Victory

It is becoming extremely difficult for other teams in the senior A softball league to halt the home run power of Esquimalt Meat Market. This was demonstrated again last night when Leon Hall slapped a four-run homer in the seventh inning to break a 4 to 4 deadlock and give the Meat Market nine an 8 to 5 victory over second place Brentwood.

Douglas Tire had a field day at the expense of Blue Bird Cabs in the first three

innings, scoring seven times, and coasted the rest of the route for their one-sided win. Joe Bryant was never in trouble, allowing eight scattered blows.

SENIOR B

Dodo MacKay is fast becoming the winningest pitcher of the senior B league.

Last night he hurled B.C. Forest Products to their seventh straight victory, defeating Naval Stores 21 to 0.

R.C.N.A.D. defeated New Method Laundry 9 to 3 in another B game.

J. H. and E. and Sidney, won women's senior B games.

IN SHORT

always subtract the second-place team's games

won from the leader's and the leader's games lost from the second-place team's, add and divide by two. If, as in the above example, the records show 23 and 12 and 25 and 14, subtract 25 from 23 which leaves minus two; subtract 12 from 14 leaving plus two. The result is that the second team is no games behind the leader.

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Pipette Sells For \$38,000 At Auction

NEW YORK (AP) — Pipette, one of 1946's leading two-year-old fillies who won five races and \$60,660 last season, was sold today for \$38,000, top price of an auction of horses at Belmont Park.

The brown filly was brought from the estate of the late W. H. Laboyteaux, insurance executive, by trainer Preston Burch.

Altogether, 31 horses were sold at the auction for an average price of \$3,532.

MAURIELLO WINS

BROOKLYN (AP) — Tami Mauriello, round-tavern-keeper from the Bronx, had to go all out Wednesday night to stop Jimmy Carroll, young Long Island thumper, in the fifth round of a scheduled 10-round bout. Mauriello weighed 203½, Carroll 198½.



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Accidental Death Verdict In Delivery Truck Fatality

A verdict of accidental death was returned, after five minutes deliberation, by a coroner's jury which met this morning in Sands Mortuary Ltd., to investigate the death of Gordon Fern Fullerton, 27, who died in the Royal Jubilee Hospital at 4:10 on the morning of May 27 from injuries he received the previous evening when a light delivery truck which he was driving side-swiped a telephone pole on Admiral's Road, just north of the entrance to H.M.C.S. Naden.

Desmond McGimpsey, who was a passenger in the truck, said: "Fullerton was driving. When they were going along Admirals Road, Fullerton was talking to Roy Wilson, another passenger. Fullerton was looking at Wilson and not watching where he was driving.

"I suddenly saw the telephone pole right in front of us when we were only 15 feet away from it. I yelled and pulled at the wheel to try and avoid hitting it. I don't think Gordon saw the pole at all," McGimpsey said.

The witness said the next thing he remembered, he was lying on the road. "I got up and found Fullerton on the grass with his feet still on the running board of the truck. I went over and held his head. He was not bleeding but he was having a hard time breathing."

McGimpsey said a naval doctor had appeared at the scene and had examined Fullerton. The Saanich police ambulance took the injured man to hospital.

"I was not hurt very much but Wilson was badly cut."

"We were not drunk—we had not had enough to make us drunk," McGimpsey said.

Chief of Police Gilbert Stancombe of Esquimalt gave measurements of the scene. He said the road was straight and was 18 feet wide at this point. The roads at the time were dry. It was a clear evening.

He said he had found no indi-

Air Vice-Marshall To Visit Station At Patricia Bay

Air Vice-Marshall K. F. Guthrie, on a tour of inspection of North Western Air Command, will arrive at R.C.A.F. station, Patricia Bay, at 10 Friday morning.

A guard of honor will be on hand on the parade square at Patricia Bay to welcome the visiting air-marshall. He will be accompanied by Air Commodore J. L. Plant, Group Capt. F. C. Carling-Kelly, Group Capt. F. A. Sampson, Group Capt. E. A. McNab, Wing-Cmdr. G. J. H. Cartwright, Wing-Cmdr. D. G. Price, Sqdn-Ldr. H. V. Peterson.

The air-marshall will leave the airport at 10:15 for Government House, where he will meet the Lieutenant-Governor Banks. He will return to Patricia Bay at 2, where an inspection and ceremonial parade will be held. The Northwest Air Command Band will be present.

Today the Air-Marshall presented decorations ranging from Member of the British Empire to the Canadian Efficiency decoration to 48 C.M. men at an investiture ceremony held at Jericho Beach.

Flt-Lt. I. E. McPherson and F.O. W. Boyes, both of Victoria, Flt-Lt. J. L. Gourley, Ladysmith, and F.O. Walter L. Nesbitt, Qualicum Beach, were awarded the distinguished flying cross.

In Houston, he said, buses handled the traveling public and he had always passed them on the left side and thought the practice the same here in regard to streetcars. Accused had only recently come to Victoria, he said.

Magistrate H. C. Hall had no sympathy for the fact the driver was not acquainted with Victoria regulations, pointing out that the defendant should have undertaken to acquaint himself with the rules covering traffic in this city.

He was also fined \$5 for not having an existing driver's license.

He said he had found no indi-

Food Most Acute Problem In Great Britain Today

Visiting Victoria today is joyful Sir Cyril Jones, C.B.E., former president of the British Food Manufacturers' Federation and a member of the Federation of British Industries, who has just arrived from an extended visit to Australia and India, where he studied food conditions in both countries in an unofficial capacity.

"I don't know if India will remain in the British Commonwealth of Nations," he said. "It is a very difficult question and it is entirely up to the East Indians themselves."

He added: "People forget that Britain's mission in India was to put that country on its feet and to get out. Whatever happens India is going to go through a difficult period for the next two or three years."

Sir Cyril said British firms were anxious to establish business connections with Canada, and this would probably happen in Britain. He said both India and Australia were also faced with a serious problem with regard to "manufactured" foods.

Australia is short of labor, while India is short of materials, he said. "The lack of adequate transportation facilities and labor strikes in both countries have not helped to ease the situation."

Although Britain was getting out of India, he said, her commercial interests in that country would remain unchanged as India was in need of good "business management." "The need for British commerce is greater than ever before," he added.

Sir Cyril said India did not need money but business management and he expressed the

Y.M.C.A. Officials To Attend A.O.S. And A.O.P. Meeting

Victoria Y.M.C.A. officials, Arnold Ramer, Bob Morrison, Archie McKinnon and Ray Newell, will attend the meeting of the B.C. section of the Y.M.C.A. association of secretaries and office personnel at Camp Elphinstone, Vancouver, on Saturday and Sunday it was announced today.

Purpose of the two-day meeting is to foster closer working relationships between American and Canadian Y.M.C.A.'s and especially between the eastern and western association in Canada. The possibility of inter-city associational visits increased and co-operation between branches will also be discussed.

Guests who will attend the meeting include A. N. Harding of the national council staff, James E. Maxwell, executive secretary of the P.N.W. area, and Ray Wilder, president of P.N.W. A.O.S.

A. And N. Veterans Banquet At Empress

Veterans young and old who fought in World War I and II, and old-timers who took part in Imperial campaigns of many years ago, attended the annual banquet of the Victoria Branch of the Army, Navy and Air Force Veterans in Canada held at the Empress Hotel Wednesday.

The event was one of the largest veterans' banquet held in this city, with more than 500 members present. President Tom Wheadon acted as chairman and introduced the speakers invited for the occasion.

Ald. F. G. Mulliner, who brought the greetings of the City Council and stressed the importance of maintaining veteran organizations.

Capt. W. B. Creery, representing the navy, urged veterans to remain united. Lt.-Col. R. D. Travis, officer commanding the First Battalion, the Canadian Scottish, appealed for recruits for the Reserve Army.

Another speaker was S. J. Mayzes, president of the British Columbia Branch of the Canadian Legion. He congratulated the branch on carrying out more than a century of good work.

Entertainment was provided after the banquet. The entertainers included Boyd McGill, Fred Usher and Ernie Fullerton of the Home-Towners; George Farmer, Tom Glendinning, Tom Crabbe, Joe Dobbie, Joe Leathem, Bill Harkness.

Tom Obee directed the variety show, while T. Wheadon acted as master of ceremonies. Accompanying on the piano was Cecil Boulter and on the violin, Bill Anderson.

Contestants are: Tom Bulman, Vernon; Vernon Reynolds, Portland, Ore.; Jan Rathbun, Lewiston, Idaho, and Don Haven, Seattle, Wash.

Ray Toplis of Victoria, grand chancellor for B.C., has been in charge of arrangements. Ray Gleason of Portland, district deputy supreme chancellor, who is public speaking chairman for the Pacific northwest, will be a visitor at Saturday night's contest.

In the annual parish show of the Saanich Cattle Club, the winner of the grand champion cow was Brookdale Lord's Lassie, owned by Harold Brooks. The ribbon and the Scott and Peden Cup went with the award. Lassie was also named as senior champion and winner of the R.O.P. class.

Princeton, and Grand Forks Volunteer Fire Department Benevolent Society, Grand Forks, were registered under the Societies Act.

Kimberley's Ski Club, Kimberley; Princeton & District World War II Memorial Association, and Hasell Bros. Ltd., \$50,000. Surrey.

Westinghouse Airways Ltd., \$250,000, head office in Vancouver, was registered extra-provincially.

Under the Co-operatives Act, Newton Co-operative Association, New Westminster, was registered.

Princeton, and Grand Forks Volunteer Fire Department Benevolent Society, Grand Forks, were registered under the Societies Act.

At the May meeting of the Victoria Typographical Union No. 201, V. J. Baines was again elected by acclamation as president for the year 1947-48. Other officers receiving acclamation were J. D. Chapman, vice-president, and H. Warren, secretary-treasurer. The executive committee comprises: W. O. Clunk, J. F. Hough, T. McDonald and W. Richardson. Delegates to the Victoria Trades and Labor Council are V. J. Baines, J. D. Chapman and W. O. Clunk. L. P. Johnston represents the union on the Victoria Chamber of Commerce.

Gas Sales To Resellers Up 12% In Victoria

A 12.11 per cent increase in the amount of gasoline supplied resellers during March of this year over March, 1946, was reported today by the Coal and Petroleum Control Board for the Victoria area.

In Vancouver the increase was 10.84 per cent, while in the remainder of the province the increase was reported as 47.55 per

Tug Due Here Saturday After Battling Violent Pacific Gale

The Victoria tug Island Navigator which ran into a violent storm off the southern coast of Oregon and lost its tow of three scows, has left the port of Eureka, Calif., and is on its way to Victoria, officials of the Island Tug and Barge Ltd. announced today.

The three scows, which were adrift 70 miles out to sea, were all recovered by the tug which towed them to Eureka for reconditioning. The tug is now towing one scow to Victoria, while the others are being pumped out.

St. Lawrence Seaway Helpful To Defence, U.S. Senate Told

WASHINGTON (AP) — Pravda quoted the Iranian Ambassador to the Soviet Union today as saying that a news agreement between the United Press and the Iranian news agency, Pars, had been canceled because of "incorrect information spread by the United Press correspondent in Tehran."

(United Press headquarters in New York said it had no immediate comment.)

A letter to the editor of the Communist Party organ over the signature of Ambassador Prince Mozaffar Firooz said:

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Conservatives Regaining Popular Vote In Britain

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shifting of public opinion away from Labor could lose the Party next election.

The warning echoes evidence of a steady decline in popular support of Labor and a substantial rise in popularity of the Conservative Party.

The changed political situation in Britain is seen in the following polls by the British Institute of Public Opinion showing the trend since the 1945 general election.

"If an election were held today, how would you vote?"

1945 May Jan. 1946 1947 Today
Labour 49% 45% 44% 44%
Conservative 39 39 44 44
Liberal 9 13 12 10
Other 3 3 3 2

In the latest survey a total of 13 per cent expressed no choice. Other British Gallup Poll surveys reveal that the source of dissatisfaction with the Labor government lies in largely domestic conditions, particularly relative to fuel, food and housing.

While the "rebel" elements within the Labor Party direct most criticism at the foreign policy of their leaders, the voting public in Britain has given majority approval, in recent Gallup polls, to Ernest Bevin's handling of foreign affairs.

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Today's Crossword Puzzle



(Answer to previous puzzle)



Residents Protest

A petition protesting against the zoning of 1558 Beach Drive for the erection of a hotel was tabled for further consideration at a special meeting of the Oak Bay Council Wednesday. The council decided to hear the case of C. E. Moore of Winnipeg, who is requesting permission to establish a hotel in the area, before making a decision on the matter.

The petition, signed by more than 23 residents in the immediate locality objects to the erection of a hotel on the grounds that it would be "a very serious detriment to the amenities of the surroundings" and would also seriously depreciate the values of their properties.

The petitioners also contend that the hotel's back premises would be unsightly, however great an effort was made to keep it tidy and clean, and that there would be a procession of trade vehicles which would interfere with the safety and enjoyment of those living in the vicinity.

This New Army: Hospital Cot Beds, Sheets, Pillow Slips, Bed Lamp, Too

It is a far cry from straw-filled palliases and iron slatted beds to hospital cots, mattresses and clean, white sheets—but just such a transition has taken place in Canada's new army of the postwar period.

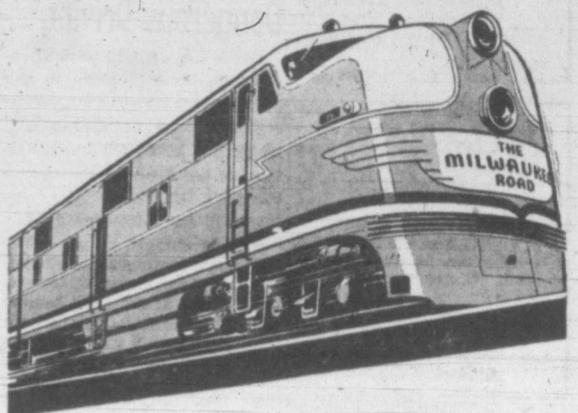
It was learned in Ottawa this week that the issue of "accommodation stores" for other ranks living in barracks has been approved, and as one "old sweat" puts it: "It looks like the army is determined to kill 'em with comfort if not with kindness."

The new scale issue includes folding, hospital-type beds complete with mattress, sheets and pillow slip, a bed lamp—and, for every two men, a chest of drawers and a mirror.

Incidentally, it is not known yet if the sergeant-major will tuck the boys in bed at night. But, when the wartime and pre-war lads in khaki look back over it all, they have to admit the post-war look of things is a nice set-up.

Oculist, Optometrist

The difference between an oculist and an optometrist is that an oculist is a physician who specializes in the treatment of defects and diseases of the eye, while the optometrist makes a scientific examination of the eye for the purpose of prescribing glasses.



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Few Changes In Income, Profits Taxes As House Debates Budget

OTTAWA (CP)—Budget proposals for changes in excise, excess profits and income taxes came under the sharp eye of the Commons Wednesday, but went through preliminary stages of Parliamentary approval with little alteration.

The work was done in committee of ways and means, which permits brisk question-and-answer examination of the minister, and the chamber approved resolutions dealing with excise levies and excess profits tax.

The House bogged down later, however, when it came to the proposed changes in income tax regulations and opposition speakers held the floor in the evening sitting.

SOFT DRINK TAX
Members voted 139 to 49 to support Committee Chairman Ross Macdonald in a ruling that the 2-cent tax on soft drinks could

not be debated at the current stage of budget legislation.

Finance Minister Abbott announced rescinding of an order-in-council providing that companies could make deferred maintenance and repairs to their plants in any 12-month period in 1946, 1947 or 1948 and charge back half of the expenditures against excess profits for any year after Jan. 1, 1943.

He also announced that the new revised Income Tax Act will be introduced within the next two or three weeks.

E. B. McKay, C.C.F., Weyburn, Sask., wanted a 5-per-cent discount on income tax to wage earners who had most of their liability deducted at the source as the government obtained use of the money without interest, but Mr. Abbott said the wage earner simply was paying his taxes as he went along.

Jean Francois Pouliot, Ind. Lib., Temiscouata, Que., placed before the Commons a new painless method of taxation which he said would do away with personal income taxes and still bring the government an annual revenue of \$850,000,000.

With a sheaf of papers and

pencil in his hand, Mr. Pouliot proposed the government merely impose a tax of 1 per cent on banking transactions and thereby relieve the people of the necessity of making out those "real Chinese puzzles" known as income tax forms.

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A recent addition to Victoria's list of entertainments is the Colwood Park Museum, situated on the Island Highway facing the Colwood golf course.

The Chinese residence with the upturned eaves was designed and built by Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bailey seven years ago as a fitting sanctuary for the rare treasures collected during the course of 20 years.

In a spacious Chinese room are displayed an exceedingly fine collection of early Chinese ivory carvings, some of which have been recently published and illustrated in a leading art magazine in England. These old Pekin ivories are considered to be one of the finest collections in this part of the hemisphere. There are fine quality porcelains dating from the early Ming times. There are bronzes of archaic form centuries old, also some jade carvings and beautiful embroideries.

In the European section can be seen exquisite china representing well-known factories of years gone by. The silver cabinet contains important examples, some by celebrated makers, dating from Charles I through succeeding periods to the late Georgian times.

To those interested in such things as old clocks and watches they will find this department well represented in such makers as Joseph Knibb who was clockmaker to Charles II. There are gold watches, one by Thomas Mudge, who invented the lever escapement and was watchmaker to George III. John Elliott is represented by a musical bracket clock embellished in ormolu mountings on ebonized pear-wood. He flourished from 1706-1722 and was appointed clockmaker to George II.

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By ERSKINE JOHNSON

HOLLYWOOD (NEA) — Exclusively Yours: Very quietly Orson Welles has placed under personal contract the French actress, Barbara Laage. Orson had her standing by, we hear, during filming of "The Lady From Shanghai"—just in case Rita Hayworth had walked out on the picture as well as on him.

Richard Ney just turned down a Broadway play offer pending his reconciliation with Green Garrison . . . Glenn Ford and Eleanor Powell are cooking up a deal to do a movie together . . . Jack LaRue would like to do the film biography of Valentino.

Bette Davis' first movie, following the recent birth of her baby, will be "African Queen," a story of the Congo, after World War I. The queen is a riverboat, not Bette . . . Doug Fairbanks Jr.'s two leading ladies, Maria Montez and Paule Croset, are feuding, but deliciously, on the set of "The Exile."

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in his chair, looked at Marty and said simply: "Tell me, Marty, is that good for Laraine Day?"

Talking about a certain Hollywood character who got married, Ed Gardner said: "He didn't know what he was doing. She caught him when he was cold sober." . . . Peggy Lee, blonde thrush at the Bocage, will make her film debut in "Midnight Serenade."

FROWNING ON LOVE

The censors are frowning on those-love scenes between Susan Hayward and Bob Cummings in "Lost Moment" . . . Lou Busch is writing a Broadway musical to star his wife, Janet Blair . . . Mae West will go to London for a stage version of "Diamond Lil."

Olivia de Havilland is planning to make only one picture a year now. But she may accept one of four big offers to do a radio series . . . Joan Crawford will go to New York for the premiere of "Possessed" in June.

Promised but not hoped for: Wallace Beery dancing a rhumba for "Alas a Gentleman." Methinks it will be alias a rhumba!

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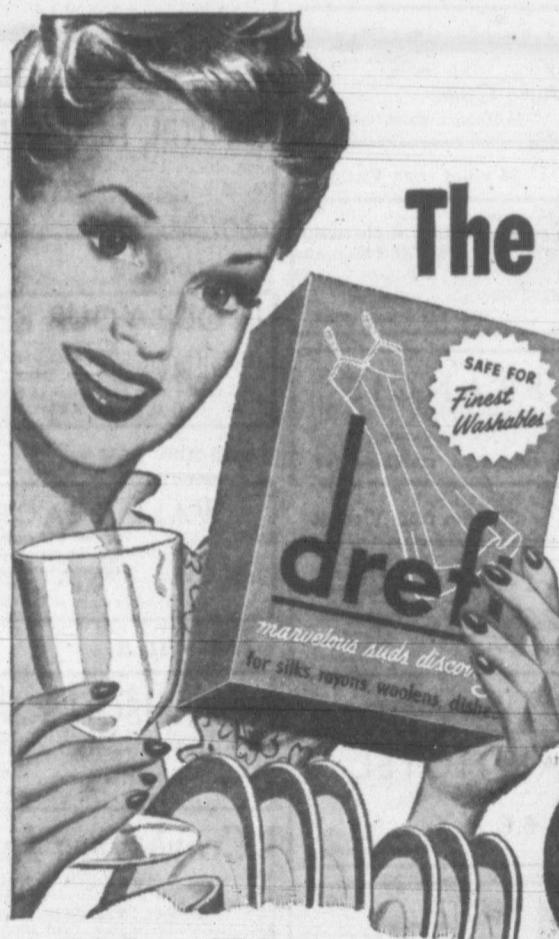
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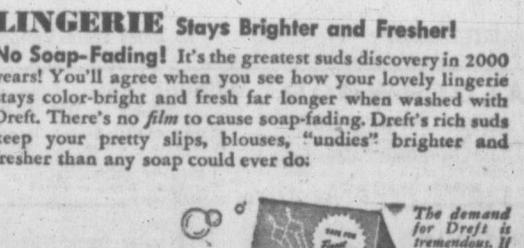
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Another Frosty
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WINNIPEG (CP)—Temperatures over most of the prairies dropped to the low 20's, again Wednesday night and there were prospects today of one more night's frost before the unusually cold weather would begin to wane.

As the cold mass moved down into the United States, bringing below-freezing temperatures and snow as far south as northern Indiana, farmers in Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba began to estimate their losses.

Alberta's sugar beet industry feared damage to between 15 and 35 per cent of the thinned crop. Planting of about 30,000 acres had been practically completed when the cold came. But the farmers' greatest concern was for flax, late-seeded fields of which now are an inch or two high.

In Manitoba, officials at the Dominion Government experimental station near Brandon said the 16 degrees of frost recorded Tuesday night had caused damage ranging from 100 per cent to cabbage to 10 per cent to carrots. Reports also had been received of damage to barley and oats.

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FRENCH PENSIONERS STAGE SIT-DOWN FOR INCREASES—Sit-down on the streets of Paris by French war invalids in demonstration for pension increase is shown in this picture. Series of riots and rallies in protest against the government's economic controls has also stirred France recently.

U.S. Stock Markets
Closed Tomorrow

NEW YORK (AP)—All United States security and commodity exchanges will close Friday in observance of Memorial Day and all but a handful of commodity markets will be recessed until Monday, as the majority start a summer schedule of Saturday closings.

London and Canadian security, grain and metal markets will be open Friday as usual, but all except the Winnipeg Grain Market will close this Saturday.

The Chicago Board of Trade and other United grain exchanges will be open this Saturday, and all other Saturdays, but the Chicago cotton and securities market will close Saturdays through September.

New York stock, curb and wool exchanges will also close on Saturdays through September, as will all out-of-town stock exchanges.

The Chicago mercantile exchange and the New York rubber market are closed Saturdays until further notice.

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Rally Follows Profit Cashing

NEW YORK (AP)—A revival of tax relief hopes touched off a brisk but brief rally in today's stock market after considerable profit cashing on Wednesday's upswing had been absorbed.

Better performers included U.S. Steel, Santa Fe, Norfolk and Western, Texas Co., Standard Oil.

Douglas Aircraft, Glenn Martin, Boeing and United Aircraft attracted buyers as the War Department at Congressional hearings urged a billion-dollar yearly aircraft industry.

McIntyre dropped ½ at midday among Canadian issues and Canadian Pacific added ¼. Hiram Walker eased ½ while Doms Mines and Distillers Steagam both were unchanged.

Dow Jones closing averages:

30 Industrials	169.25, up 1.19
20 Rails	44.24, up 0.60
15 Utilities	33.38, up 0.03
65 Stocks	59.87, up 0.86
Total sales,	900,000.

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

Allied Chemicals	88-7
American Can	88-7
American Pulp	88-7
American Smelter	88-7
American Woolen	29-7
Alcan Aluminum	88-7
Atchison Topeka	92
B. & O. Railway	92
Bethlehem Steel	10-6
Canadian Pacific Railway	10-6
Chrysler	59-5
Consolidated Mining	28-6
Commonwealth and Southern	17-7
Du Pont	45-3
Eastern Kodak	45-3
Eastman Kodak	45-3
General Foods	40
General Electric	34-3
General Mills	44-2
GoodYear Tire	44-2
Great Northern	59-3
Hannay & Mining	20-6
Inter. Harvester	11-1
Inter. Tel. and T.	31
Inter. Telephone	31
J. P. Morgan	44-4
Kennecott Copper	12-2
Lockheed	12-2
Marlboro Distillers	18-3
Montgomery Ward	18-3
National Biscuit	29-1
New York Central	12-7
Norfolk and Western	20-6
Northern Pacific	15-7
Pacific Gas Electric	28-2
Pan American Airways	26-2
Paramount Pub.	18-5
Pennsylvania Railroad	18-5
Pfizer	20-4
Procter & Gamble	20-4
Public Service New Jersey	23-2
Republic Steel	24-7
Standard Oil	26-4
Standard Oil California	26-4
Standard Oil New Jersey	26-4
Standard Oil of New York	26-4
Southern Pacific	38
Southern California Edison	32-2
Southern Railway	10-6
Texas Corp.	60-6
Union Carbide	100-4
United Aircraft	19
U.S. Rubber	43
U.S. Steel	10-6
Westinghouse Electric	62-1
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